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We Want to Be a Partner in EPA's National Partnership for Environmental Priorities

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PARTNER AGREEMENT

Our organization is choosing to become a partner in EPA's National Partnership for Environmental Priorities. Our goal is to reduce the quantity of one or more Priority Chemicals currently found in our products, processes, or releases using techniques such as source reduction, recycling, or other materials management practices. In this enrollment application, we identify one or more voluntary goals that we believe we can achieve as partners in this program. The voluntary goal(s) provided below is an initial estimate and may change over time. We may revise our goal(s) or withdraw from the program at any time. If/when we choose to revise our goals or withdraw from the program, we will notify EPA.

GOAL #1. Chemical Name: Lead **CASRN:** 7439-92-1

Narrative description of proposed project: FCI has developed a lead-free initiative based on our ISO-14001 EMS and also to satisfy customer requirements in the European Union. FCI reduced the amount of lead used in our solder by investigating and offering lead-free solder alternatives for connector assembly. We reduced the generation of lead from 3,699 pounds to 3,054 pounds between January, 2004 and December, 2006. We will identify additional opportunities to offer lead-free solder alternatives to other customers and plan to reduce the percent lead per connector produced by an additional 1% by 2008 for a total NPEP reduction of 676 pounds.

How we will measure success: We will measure success by comparing the amount of lead used before and after the project.

1a. Our voluntary **source reduction** goal for Chemical #1 is to reduce the amount of this chemical generated/used from a baseline amount of 3054 pounds in January, 2006 (month/year) to a reduced amount of 3023 pounds generated/used by December, 2008 (month/year).

1b. To accomplish this goal, we will use the following source reduction options (check all that apply):

<input type="checkbox"/> Equipment or technology modifications.	<input type="checkbox"/> Process or procedure modifications.
<input type="checkbox"/> Reformulation or redesign of products.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Substitution of less toxic raw materials.
<input type="checkbox"/> Improvements in inventory control.	<input type="checkbox"/> Improvements in maintenance/housekeeping practices.
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe): _____	

2a. In addition to, or in lieu of using source reduction methods, our voluntary **recycling or recovery** goal for Chemical #1 is to increase the recycled or recovered quantity of this chemical from a baseline amount of _____ pounds in _____ (month/year) to an increased quantity of _____ pounds by _____ (month/year).

2b. To accomplish this recycling or recovery goal, we will use the following options (check all that apply):

<input type="checkbox"/> Direct use/reuse in a process to make a product.
<input type="checkbox"/> Processing the waste to recover or regenerate a usable product.
<input type="checkbox"/> Using/reusing waste as a substitute for a commercial product.

3. We have a Quality Assurance/Quality Control Plan for data (check which applies). ☐ Yes ☒ No

Please use supplemental sheets for additional goals.

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